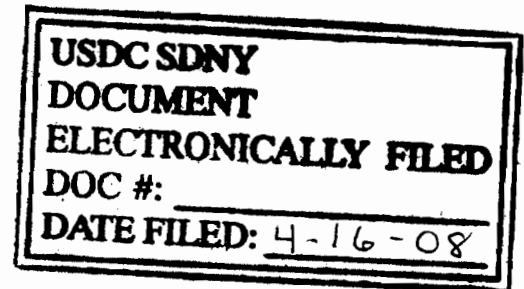


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

LAIWU STEEL CORPORATION,

Plaintiff,

-against-

AL-FAQIH GENERAL TRADING, a/k/a AL-  
FAQIH FOR TRADING, a/k/a AL-FAQIH FOR  
GENERAL TRADING,

Defendant.

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**NOTICE OF  
VOLUNTARY  
DISMISSAL**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT**, pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(i) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiff Laiwu Steel Corporation, by and through its attorneys of record, dismisses this action without prejudice.

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**SO ORDERED:**

  
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